ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A hand operated tool for extracting an embedded elongated object, including:

- a) an elongated, movable first handle member with a first, upper end portion divided into two matching legs separated by an opening;
- b) a corresponding second handle member with a first jaw member and a first, upper end extending through the leg opening, the second handle member being pivotally attached to the first leg and the second leg;
- c) a floating head portion pivotally attached to the first and second legs,
 the floating head portion including a second jaw member and an adjacent, upper curved
 edge; and
- d) two matching lever bars facing one another from opposite sides of the extraction tool, each being pivotally connected to the second handle member and to the floating head portion; and

wherein the second jaw member is engaged against the first jaw member when the extraction tool is in a closed position, and disengaged from the first jaw member when the extraction tool is in an open position.